# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
# LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:7158
ANSWERED ON:14.05.2002
ICHR
SUBODH MOHITE

**Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

(a) the details of grants provided by Indian Council of Historical Research to its members in the name of major projects during last two years alongwith the present status of these projects;

(b) whether any complaints have been received by ICHR regarding mismanagement of funds;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) the action taken by the Government in this regard?

## Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (PROF. RITA VERMA)

(a) : A statement showing details of grants provided by the ICHR for special projects assigned to three eminent scholars during the last 2 years who happened to be members of the Council is enclosed.

(b): ICHR has informed that no complaint has been received.

(c) & (d) : Do not arise.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 7158 BY SHRI SUBODH MOHITE FOR 14.05.2002 REGARDING ICHR.

A Statement showing details of grants provided by the ICHR for special projects assigned to three eminent scholars during the last 2 years who happened to be members of the Council.

| S.No | Name of the Special Project | Name of the honorary Director through which grants released | Affiliating institute | Amount approved (Rs. in Lakhs) | Amount of the release (Rs. in Lakhs) | Status of the Project |
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| 1 | Potteries in Ancient and Medieval India (Expired on 3rd May 2002) | Late Prof. B.P. Sinha | K P Jaiswal, Research Institute, Government of Bihar, Patna | 8.00 | 1.09 | ongoing |
| 2 | Archaeology and Tradition : A Study of Indo-European and Indo-Aryan Languages and Archaeology | Prof. D.N. Tripathi | Centre for the Study of Indian Traditio n, Madhubani (Bihar) | 16.11 | 4.37 | ongoing |
| 3 | A Historical | Prof. | Indian | 6.42 | 4.57 | ongoing |

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| and Archaeological Study of Parsi / Zorastrian religious Places of importance of Western India. | Mani Kamerkar | Archaeological Society, New Delhi |